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In re application of Docket No: Q96415

Herve AFRIAT

Appln. No.: 10/590,418 Group Art Unit: 2838

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For: SYSTEM FOR SUPPLYING VERY LOW VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL ENERGY FOR AN ELECTRICAL TRACTION VEHICLE COMPRISING AN ONBOARD STORE OF ENERGY

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN  
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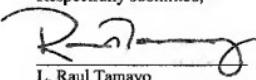
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Sir:

In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)," for the above application, Applicant respectfully submits herewith a copy of the **Submission of Executed Declaration**, which was filed on May 1, 2007, along with the date-stamped filing receipt. As shown, the statutory fee of \$65.00 was paid with the Submission. Applicant's submits that no further response to the Notification of Missing Requirements is due.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 08/23/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 08/23/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/23/2006
- Copy of Article 19 Amendments filed on 08/23/2006
- English Translation of Article 19 Amendments filed on 08/23/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 08/23/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/23/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 08/23/2006
- Specification filed on 08/23/2006
- Claims filed on 08/23/2006
- Drawings filed on 08/23/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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PAPER(S) FILED ENTITLED:

1. Submission of Executed Declaration (in duplicate) with a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 pages), and a check in the amount of \$65.00

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SUBMISSION OF EXECUTED DECLARATION

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Sir:

In view of the application filed on August 23, 2006 without the appropriate executed documents, and since Applicant's attorney has not yet received the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)," for the above application, Applicant submits herewith a copy of the Declaration for the above identified application properly executed by the inventors.

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